

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Number : 10/572,994 Confirmation No.: 9073
Applicant : Nelson *et. al.*
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Title : Polybasic Acid Esters and Their Use in Fibre Optic Cables
TC/Art Unit : 1797
Examiner: Vishal V. Vasisth

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Sir:

In response to the Final Rejection mailed March 15, 2011 (“Final Rejection”), Applicants hereby submit this Amendment after Final Rejection (“AAF”) and request that the AAF be entered and the Application be reconsidered in light of the remarks made herein.

Amendments to the claims begin on **page 2** of this AAF.

Remarks begin on **page 10** of this AAF.